

There Used to Be a Wonderful Echo at North Petersburgh, But a Talkative Woman Resident Wore It Down So It Can Hardly Be Heard

HISTORIC BENNINGTON IS UNDER CHARMING SPELL OF WOMEN'S FEDERATION

Delegates From Every Section of Vermont are Convened in Twenty-Sixth Annual Gathering—Representation Believed to Be the Largest—Ever Assembled By Association—Sessions Open This Morning

ELABORATE PROGRAM FOR 3-DAY MEETING

Mrs. Dorothy Canfield Fisher Makes Brilliant Address Anent Rural Community Spirit—John Spargo to Discuss Situation in Russia To-night—Congregational Church Chapel the Place

The 26th annual meeting of the Vermont Federation of Women's Clubs is well under way today. The preliminaries of the convention were carried out at the meeting of the official board yesterday afternoon but many of the delegates had not arrived at that time and it was not until this forenoon that the organization was in full operation.

Favored by the best possible brand of June weather, the delegates, some of whom are in their first visit to this historic town, are not only seriously taking up the work of the convention but they are heartily enjoying themselves.

The session this morning opened with the singing of "Summer Songs Are Singing," Mrs. Arthur J. Holden presiding at the piano.

Divine blessing, was invoked by Rev. Vincent Ravi-Booth, pastor of the First Congregational church at Old Bennington.

Reports of officers given at this meeting were as follows: Recording secretary's report of the last annual meeting held with friends in Council of Windsor, June 1 to 3, 1920 by Mrs. Arden G. Taylor. The report of the corresponding secretary, Mrs. Ada F. Plinn of Springfield, was also read by Mrs. Taylor. Report of auditor, Mrs. Mason S. Stone of Montpelier. Report of treasurer, Mrs. C. S. Clifford of Bethel. Mrs. Clifford reported the total in the treasury as \$1209.11 also two \$100 Liberty Bonds.

The report of the general federation director, Mrs. Gilbert F. Davis of Windsor, was read by the recording secretary. Mrs. Davis stated that she supposed she was elected to serve on the board, hence her inability to be present at the state federation meeting; she said that although they were anticipating the meeting in the land of the Latter Day Saints she hoped they would not carry such startling doctrines as those introduced there by the Vermonters who made the same journey 74 years ago. She told of the ambition of the general federation to place a home demonstration in every county in the United States. Vermont has received considerable recognition in the general federation bulletin this year. Three clubs have been added to the list of clubs in the year. Athena of Burlington, Attraction of Springfield and Friends in Council of Windsor, this makes 9 directly federated clubs in Vermont.

The district chairman, Mrs. D. D. Burditt of Pittsfield, Mrs. Robert E. French of St. Johnsbury and Mrs. Fred Blanchard of Montpelier gave glowing accounts of the district meetings of last fall.

Two very pleasingly rendered vocal solos were given by Mrs. Caroline Wellman of Bennington.

The address The Vermont American Association of University Women was given by Miss Elizabeth

Isham. This organization was founded in Boston in 1882 for the purpose of uniting college alumnae in helpful work. The association now has enrolled over 16,000 women, but there are over 200,000 women who are eligible. There are 120 branches in 23 states. Their activities are along educational, social and civic lines. Much of their effort has been expended in establishing fellowships, 25 percent of their funds being set aside for this purpose. The Vermont Branch was started in 1920 at the state teachers' meeting and now has enrolled 165 members. Mrs. Calvin Coolidge of Rutland being the 100th member preferring to be enrolled in the Vermont Branch. Middlebury college became accredited in March of this year. They have raised \$90 for the Mrs. Curie radium fund and Miss Varney a former U. V. M. graduate helped prepare the radium, procured for Mrs. Curie. The association gives advice and information to girls desirous of entering college.

The nominating committee for 1922-23 was chosen as follows: Mrs. Walter J. Bigelow of Brattleboro, chairman; Mrs. N. P. Phelps, Barre, Mrs. John Piddock of Bellows Falls, Mrs. Thomas Bradlee of Burlington; Mrs. E. E. Porter, St. Johnsbury.

Mrs. Robert E. Smith of White River Junction, Past President and vice-president of M. E. Conference, then gave her message from the N. E. Conference held in Portland two years ago. She mentioned especially a speaker who brought inspiring thoughts to her service in Americanization and Citizenship work.

Delegates were then elected for the N. E. Conference which meets at Broad Leaf Inn, Vermont, Sept. 7, 8 and 9. Miss Edith Blanchard, Montpelier; Mrs. J. A. Greenwood of Chester, Mrs. C. G. Clifford of Bethel, Mrs. Edward Crain, Hardwick, Mrs. H. G. Barber of Brattleboro, Miss Berenice Tuttle of Rutland, Mrs. Frank Howe of Bennington, Mrs. L. J. Hathaway of Middlebury, Mrs. Robert E. French of St. Johnsbury and Mrs. O. H. Coe of Rutland. Delegates were instructed to secure their own alternates in case of their inability to attend the conference.

Mrs. Dorothy Canfield Fisher of Arlington then told in her most vivacious manner of the founding and the work of the Battenkill Women's club of Wilmington.

Mrs. Fisher spoke especially, with great enthusiasm, of the new plans for what is known as the standardization of rural schools, which has worked out by the state board of education. This is a plan to make a beginning where all beginnings ought to be made, at the very bottom and foundation, and to improve the actual, material, physical conditions of our rural schoolhouses.

Every American, certainly every Vermont, is born with the feeling that good education is the foundation of the prosperity of any community and any state. But in too many cases this inherent feeling never gets put into action, because no action is taken to make it a reality. Plain, easy of achievement by every one.

There is probably a Vermont who has passed one of our far from dreary little one-room schoolhouses without saying to himself: "Something ought to be done about that to improve it." The new plan of the state board aims to put in the place of that vague word "something" a series of concrete, definite images, so that people will say: "These windows should be changed to prevent a cross-light on the blackboard; a hard wood floor should be laid in the place of those sagging, splintery, worn-out boards; a decent place for the children to wash their faces and hands should be arranged; a decent and sanitary toilet should be installed; hot lunches should be served in cold weather, etc., etc."

How is he going to get these definite ideas? Through a new state official, to be appointed at once, whose whole business should be to attend to this standardization of rural schools; through a printed statement of conditions down to the last detail, which will be sent to anyone who asks for it, from the state board of education.

And suppose he does bring his district one-room school up to standard. Does he get anything out of it, beyond the lively satisfaction over a good deed? Yes, indeed, he does. He has his lively sense of satisfaction and more state aid for his school, as well as a plate to put on his building, testifying to the fact it is now up to standard.

the Des Moines Biennial held last June.

Miss Jennie A. Valentine told briefly of the way in which the flags and pennants used in decoration, and presented to the local D. A. R. were originally used on the gun-boat then in England.

Following this the meeting adjourned for lunch.

At 4:45 Tuesday afternoon the executive board held a short meeting with 17 members present. The secretary's report of the last executive board meeting held in Middlebury in November was read and accepted. Eight new clubs were accepted as members of The State Federation, Hyde Park, Morrisville, Williamstown, Wilton, Jeffersonville, Underhill, Jericho and the Country Club of Rochester. Plans were suggested and business discussed which will be brought up for action later in the convention.

The first session of the meeting was held last evening. In the absence of Mrs. J. W. Votey, Federation chairman of music, the local chairman, Mrs. Arthur J. Holden conducted the community singing with which the session was opened. The invocation was given by the pastor of the church, Rev. George S. Mills. Mrs. George S. Mills, in a few well-chosen words, extended a most cordial welcome to those assembled, the response to which was pleasingly given by Mrs. Robert E. French of St. Johnsbury, 2nd vice-president.

Letters of greeting were read from the first president of The Federation, Mrs. Elisha May of St. Johnsbury, also one from former president, Miss Susan E. Clark of Brattleboro and a telegram sent from California from Mrs. Gilbert F. Davis of Windsor, who was unable to be present, as she is attending the General Federation council meeting in Salt Lake City, which opens the 12th.

Mrs. Ashton of Rutland and Mrs. Smilie of Montpelier, past presidents, both gave words of greeting. Mrs. Ashton reiterated her loyalty to the federation and said that while this organization does not specialize in any kind of work it is interested in all humanitarian problems. Her closing words were "Stick to the federation and you'll always have a job."

Mrs. Smilie spoke concerning the privilege of voting which has so recently come to women. She said all women did not want this privilege but that it was "like pease, while we might not care for it for dessert it might be a most useful thing to have if our dessert did not agree." Women should assume the obligation, choosing what is best for our homes, our state and our country.

These greetings were followed by the flag salute and two verses of America.

At this time the present state federation president, Mrs. Walter V. Slack, declared the convention open for business.

eration is one of the valuable organizations of Vermont and its work and importance grow from year to year." (Mrs. Slack was formerly Miss Tirzah Montgomery of South Shaftsbury.)

Mrs. O. C. Ashton, Rutland: "Having traveled the streets of Rutland for several years, I am able to get around through the Bennington trenches, so far without accident. Several years ago the Vermont Federation helped send Miss Anna Finlan of Bennington through Normal school. She has made good and justified what the Federation did."

Mrs. Thomas Bradlee, Burlington: "Women are inclined to be too formal in thought and habit. Every woman and especially every mother of a family ought to spend several weeks every summer, forgetting the exactness of dress and social custom and living a simple, natural life."

Mrs. George Cassidy, Rutland: "Every town could learn something from every other town. I have seen some things in Bennington that Rutland might well adopt. Doubtless there are a few Rutland things that would prove of service to Bennington. Being good neighbors means working together, not indulging in too much rivalry."

Mrs. H. R. Hagar of Middlebury: "I like my boarding place so well that it is hard to leave it to attend the meetings." Mrs. Hagar is staying at Mrs. E. L. Sibley's.

Mrs. John E. Piddock, Saxton's River: "Last year during the political campaign, I rode several thousand miles over Vermont roads and if Vermont people appreciated the attractions of their own state they would always take their vacations in Vermont."

Mrs. Henry A. Puffer, Richmond: "I have a daughter living in Bennington and have been here before and shall come again. I brought my husband with me to drive the car and run errands."

Mrs. C. L. Stickney, Brattleboro: "I never know a person when she wears a different hat. Hat's change the appearance of one so."

Mrs. M. M. Tucker, Brattleboro: "My friends who are with me just can't understand why I exultate about a cemetery, they have laughed so much at me for saying that you cemetery on the hill is beautiful that I'm going to take them up there and prove what I've said about it." (Mrs. Tucker is a daughter of the late Hon. J. L. Martin, U. S. Judge.)

Mrs. George M. Powers, Morrisville: "I'm so comfortable in my quarters at the hospital with that wonderful view, I'm considering undergoing an operation to prolong my stay a little."

Delegates Attending

Not all the delegates have arrived, and not all that are here have registered. The list of registrations up to noon today included the following: Mrs. Alvin W. Flint, St. Johnsbury. Mrs. L. A. Wood, East Hardwick. Mrs. John E. Piddock, Bellows Falls. Mrs. Frank Allen, Bellows Falls. Mrs. E. S. Whitcomb, Bellows Falls. Mrs. W. D. Woodson, Springfield. Mrs. Frank S. Locke, Springfield. Mrs. F. A. Greenwood, Chester. Mrs. F. A. Lawton, Chester. Mrs. Blanche C. Green, Richmond. Mrs. L. M. Taylor, Richmond. Mrs. Inez L. Clark, Richmond. Mrs. Gertrude C. Pfeiffer, Richmond. Mrs. Leslie D. Gale, Williamstown. Mrs. Gertrude F. Kingsley, Williamstown.

Mrs. E. O. Blanchard, Randolph. Mrs. Chas. Phillips, Bethel. Mrs. J. W. Sault, Ludlow. Mrs. W. W. Stickney, Ludlow. Miss Edith N. Grier, Brattleboro. Mrs. E. C. Sargent, Brattleboro. Mrs. W. J. Bigelow, Brattleboro. Mrs. Clark C. Fitts, Brattleboro. Myrtle B. Seaver, Williamstown. Mrs. N. D. Phelps, Barre. Mrs. Alexander Smith, Barre. Mrs. Robert French, St. Johnsbury. Mrs. Geo. Cary, St. Johnsbury. Mrs. E. E. Porter, St. Johnsbury. Mrs. Geo. T. Chaffee, Rutland. Mrs. D. D. Burditt, Pittsfield. Mrs. F. M. Mombert, Orwell. Mrs. C. E. Brown, Brattleboro. Mrs. Thomas Bradlee, Burlington. Miss Charlotte Pierpont, Burlington.

Miss Elizabeth C. Isham, Burlington. Mrs. Adren G. Taylor, Windsor. Mrs. Geo. C. Holmes, St. Albans. Mrs. Florence Bryant, St. Albans. Mrs. J. P. Gifford, Randolph. Mrs. Ernest L. Sherwin, Bristol. Mrs. T. R. Thomas, Bristol. Mrs. Grace Van Morgan, Bristol. Mrs. C. L. Stickney, Brattleboro. Mrs. H. B. Brown, Brattleboro. Mrs. M. M. Tucker, Brattleboro. Mrs. W. L. Hunt, Brattleboro. Mrs. Henry W. Dutton, South Roy.

Mrs. Lewis J. Hathaway, Middlebury. Mrs. E. C. Ryder, Middlebury. Mrs. Clara I. Delano, Shoreham. Mrs. Fred C. Smith, Middlebury. Mrs. Harry A. Noyes, Hyde Park. Mrs. Marjorie Holland, Hyde Park. Mrs. George Cassidy, Rutland. Mrs. L. A. Koidel, Rutland. Miss Minnie E. McKeeough, Rutland. Mrs. O. C. Ashton, Rutland. Mrs. C. E. Keeler, Westborough, Mass. Mrs. Frank Kezer, Rochester, Vt. Mrs. Margaret Quinn, Rochester, Vt. Mrs. Frank W. Wright, Windsor. Mrs. G. H. Smiley, Montpelier. Mrs. Fred Blanchard, Montpelier. Mrs. George Blanchard, Montpelier. Mrs. Mason Stone, Montpelier. Mrs. Ella Bailey Brown, Montpelier. Mrs. Gay Horton, Montpelier. Mrs. Wallace Dodge, Springfield. Mrs. Walter W. Slack, Springfield. Mrs. John L. Honck, Springfield. Mrs. John M. Pierce, Springfield. Mrs. James J. Bromley, Springfield. Mrs. Merton N. White, Springfield. Mrs. C. H. Drury, Springfield.

BRITISH OCCUPY TOWN HELD BY POLISH FORCES

Reports Silent As to Whether Battle Preceded Occupation

BELIEVE TROOPS CLASHED

Poles Now Regard Eng and as Enemy—Conditions Approach Bolshevism

Oppeln, Silicia, June 8.—Rosenberg, a town twenty miles north east of here located near the old Polish frontier is occupied by a battalion of British troops.

The town was taken by the Polish insurgents during their first advance into Upper Silicia and there has been danger of serious fighting there between the Poles and Germans.

Reports here are silent as to whether fighting occurred when the British occupied the town, but the official circle believes it probable that the British and Poles clashed.

Anarchy Reigns in Zone.

Berlin, June 7.—Upper Silicia is edging into that condition of anarchy and banditry commonly associated with the term Bolshevism. The Polish rebellion is now five weeks old and while military discipline of a kind is being maintained on the fronts the regions behind the fighting zone have been delivered over to ruffianism, extortion and plunder.

The only hope of restoring order appears to lie in the size and activity of the British forces now being sent to the scene, but their intervention may prove a costly blessing since the Poles, according to information received here, now consider the English as enemies and may not disarm without resistance.

The present English forces are not large enough to advance independently of the French and harmony for joint action, it is believed here, is not likely to be found.

SUMMER VISITOR MARRIED

Bridegroom is Hartford Young Man We'll Know Here

The following from a recent issue of the Worcester Mass., Telegram will be of interest to people in Bennington who have become acquainted with Mr. Bidwell during his frequent visits here during recent years.

The marriage of Harold C. White of Worcester, son of Rev. Dr. and Mrs. Herbert J. White of Hartford, Ct., and Miss Mildred Josephine Bidwell of Hartford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wesley Bidwell, took place Friday in the home of the bride, 175 Beacon street, Rev. Dr. White, father of the bridegroom, performed the ceremony.

The bride wore a gown of white headed georgette over satin and carried a bridal shower bouquet. Her attendants were maid of honor, Miss Helen N. Shelton of Boston, a cousin, and bridesmaids, Miss R. Amelia Hill, Miss Elsa M. Hammond, Miss Margaret C. Miller and Miss Sophie Nichols of Hartford. They wore georgette frocks of pastel shades, with hats to match, and carried lavender and pink sweet peas and yellow roses. The best man was Burton S. White, brother of the bridegroom.

After a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. White will make their home 17 Randolph road, Worcester.

LEY CO GETS CONTRACT

Were Awarded Federal Road Building Job Here

The Fred T. Ley Construction company has been awarded the contract for the federal road construction job from the Governor Robinson bridge to Percy's corners. The price is \$41,422.10. The job includes the rebuilding of the covered bridge.

The bids were opened yesterday by the state highway commission at Montpelier. Several other federal jobs were awarded at the same time.

WEATHER FORECAST

Generally fair tonight and Thursday; little change in temperature.

MISS MILDRED EDDY

Death of Bennington Young Woman is Shock to Friends.

Miss Mildred Eddy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred T. Eddy of Scott street passed away Tuesday evening, June 7th, at the Albany City hospital where she underwent an operation some three weeks ago. Miss Eddy was twenty-one years old and was finishing her commercial course at the Bennington High school has been employed by the Bennington Wax Paper Company in the office.

Miss Eddy was a girl with many friends and to know her was to love her. She was conscientious in all things she undertook. She is survived by her father and mother and two sisters, Louise and Marjorie.

The funeral will be held at the Methodist church Thursday at 2:30. Rev. J. A. Perry will officiate. Burial at Park Lawn cemetery.

SURPRISE SHOWER

Young Woman Soon to Be Married Receives Many Gifts.

Miss Margaret Ahern, who is to be married on June 22nd was given a surprise shower last evening at the home of her sister, Mrs. Allyn La Tour on Bradford street. Twenty-four of her friends were present and Miss Ahern was the recipient of many beautiful gifts of silver, linen and cut glass.

The entertainment for the evening had been carefully planned and the guests had a most enjoyable time. Dainty refreshments were served.

HIGH AND LOW SPOTS

Uncle Sam Has Two in California—Each Hold Record.

Washington, June 8.—The highest and lowest points in the United States are in California, within 90 miles of each other, says a bulletin issued by the Geological Survey.

Mount Whitney, the highest point, is 14,501 feet above sea level and in Death Valley there is a depression that lies 276 feet below sea level.

The difference in height of these two points is small, however, the Survey states, as compared with the difference in the height and depth of land in Asia. Mount Everest rises 29,002 feet above sea level whereas the shores of the Dead Sea lie 1,290 feet below.

Information in the hands of the survey shows that the greatest depth yet found in any ocean is 32,088 feet, a depth at a point about 40 miles north of the island of Mindanao in the Philippines. This would make the bottom of the sea at that point more than 11-1/2 miles below the summit of Mount Everest.

COLLEGE WOMEN HOLD ENJOYABLE MEETING

Ten Institutions Represented at Dinner Last Evening at St. Peter's Parish House

Nineteen college graduates, pledging allegiance to ten Alma Maters but united by one very strong spirit of good-fellowship, sat down to a dinner Wednesday at half past six in the parish house of St. Peter's church last evening.

The occasion was a meeting of the Vermont Branch of the American Association of University Women held in connection with the Vermont Federation meeting. Miss Elizabeth Isham of Burlington, president of the Vermont branch, Mrs. Carpenter the secretary and three other officers, Mrs. Mason S. Stone, Miss Charlotte Pierpont and Mrs. Hathaway were present.

There were also in attendance graduates of Smith, Vassar, Holyoke, Wellesley, Brown, Radcliffe, Syracuse, Teachers college, the University of Vermont, and Middlebury. An attempt was made to have all local college alumnae present. Nine were able to attend and they felt that the others missed a rare treat. At an early date, a local branch will be formed, and if last evening's gathering is any criterion, the earlier the date the more fortunate will be the lot of Bennington college alumnae.

The Vermont branch is yet but a young organization; it has as the one hundred member, Mrs. Calvin Coolidge, wife of our vice-president. The National association has become international, and is doing splendidly constructive work along the lines of its particular endeavor.

The following, with present residences, college and degree conferred, were present:

Isabel Grant, Bennington, Vt., Middlebury, A. B.
Gladys Fauley, Bennington, Vt., Vermont, B. S.
Hazel McLeod Wills, Bennington, Middlebury, A. B.
Jennie Rowell Bradlee, Burlington, Vt., V. M. B. S.
H. Frances Levin, Bennington, U. V. M. A. B.
Grace Tuffer Hathaway, Middlebury, Radcliffe.
Marjorie White, North Bennington, Mount Holyoke, A. B.
Marion G. Elmer, North Bennington, Middlebury, A. B.
Marion L. White, North Bennington, Mount Holyoke, A. B.
Ruby W. Burt, North Bennington, Smith, A. B.
Ahlene L. Gibbons, North Bennington, Smith, A. B.
Grace C. White, Bennington, Teachers' College, N. J.
Enid Crawford Pierce, Springfield, Syracuse, A. B.
Mary Robinson Perkins, Univ. Vermont, Ph. D.
Charlotte C. Pierpont, Burlington, Vt., V. M. B. S.
Lillian V. Noyes, Hyde Park, Vassar, A. B.
Alma W. Stone, Montpelier, Wellesley, A. B.
Elizabeth C. Isham, Burlington, U. V. M., Ph. B.
Gwendolen B. Carpenter, Burlington, Brown, A. B.

90 MOTHERS ARE ENTERTAINED BY T. W. C. A. STAFF

Bennington Matrons Are Guests At Stag Prepared Supper

FASHION SHOW FOLLOWS

Some Unmarried Women Break Through Guard and Join In the Festivities

Partly to give a bit of a boost to the activities of Children's Week—which is now in progress—but mainly to impress upon the good women folk of Bennington the fact that nothing can surpass in cuisine excellence a banquet planned, arranged and executed under strictly stag auspices, the members of the Y. M. C. A. staff re-located themselves into hosts at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening and entertained at supper about 90 mother, of the village. General Secretary Winslow has officially designated the event as the "Y. M. C. A. Mothers of Bennington."

However, with all the precaution of the promoters, quite a few most excellent women who are not even married managed to evade the strong guard thrown about the function and were seen occupying places at the tables. This is sub rosa, of course. But it proves, too, that woman's curiosity, once aroused, will not be denied.

The spread was laid in the "Y" gym, which was appropriately decorated with flowers. Plates for 90 epicures were in evidence, and evidently appreciated. The guest, filed into the room promptly at 6 o'clock and at that moment the stag end of the function faded into innocuous desuetude.

In other words, the "Y" staff retired, turning the job of serving over to a group of Sunday-school teachers. And if Max Webster had not been one of the number it would have been an Adamless Eden. These were the waitresses, and very efficient ones they proved to be, too; Mrs. Arthur Chase, Mrs. H. L. Hall, the Misses Jennie Watt, Helen Freeman, Anna Chase, Florence Moore, and Ruth and Florence Godfrey.

Some one has said that there's no telling what a woman will do. These women at the "Y" Tuesday night did something that their husbands had never even dreamed of putting on the program. After eating all the good things in sight, they really put on a talkfest. Silence may be golden, but what good is the gold stuff to a crowd of women, either in Bennington or elsewhere? And after the tide of oratory had receded, a fashion show followed. General Secretary Winslow said afterwards that he more than half suspected something like that would happen.

Miss Jeannette Perkins was the mistress of ceremonies and she tapped as fine a brew of eloquence and rhetoric as has ever flowed within the walls of the "Y." Interspersed with the speaking were some good singing numbers, in which Miss Beatie Kline and Mrs. Elia Estes distinguished themselves. Miss Florence Walbridge related some of her Sunday school experiences and Mrs. W. G. Toward discussed Bible study.

But the fashion exhibit! as all men were excluded from this diversion, only second hand information can be offered about it. But this said that most every style of dress from the days of the Pilgrims to Atlantic City was demonstrated.

While the event was in progress, many delegates to the convention of the Women's Federation dropped in to pay their respects and give the place the once over.

KILLED IN AUTO COLLISION

Miss Baker Was on Her Way to Visit in Bennington

Miss Emma Baker of Weirfield, a niece of Ernest T. Griswold, was killed in an automobile accident at North Lebanon, N. Y., Tuesday. She was 23 years old.

Miss Baker and her brother, Harold Baker, were returning from New York with a new car and expected to stop over Tuesday night in Bennington at the home of Mr. Griswold. Their car collided with another on a curve. Harold was not much hurt.

ON RIOTER'S TRAIL

Tulsa Officials Begin Probe Into Race War Tragedy

Tulsa, Okla., June 8.—The first step toward prosecution of alleged leaders of the race riots and subsequent burning of the negro district here last week with a cost of \$2.5 lives was taken yesterday with the filing of charges against K. P. Stratford, negro and former hotel proprietor, and three other negroes, none of whom is in custody. They are charged with rioting.

Extradition papers for Stratford, who is in Independence, Kansas, were forwarded by the county attorney to Governor Robertson. Stratford has refused to return to Tulsa.

A grand jury investigation is expected to start tomorrow under the direction of S. P. Freeling, attorney general. The police have been ordered to arrest all negroes found on the street without identification cards, beginning tomorrow and to put them in a detention camp.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED—Man or woman, salary \$30 full time. See an hour spare time, selling guaranteed history to wearers. Experience unnecessary. Guaranteed Mills, Norristown, Pa.

FOR SALE—Very desirable modern home with large garden, double garage, paying good investment, two story house, large frontage, a new home place with large garden, double garage, on Gage street, new home, all modern improvements, seven room house, just outside village, in good repair, fourteen acres wooded, and four acres tillable land, well watered. Fire insurance. H. S. Williams, No. 210 Elm St., Tel. 123-W. 2716

TO RENT—Carriage space; space for one car in private garage, on Dewey street. Inquire 207 Dewey street or telephone 205-Y. 2716

LOST—Sunday afternoon between Mill street and Park Lawn cemetery, a bill folder containing a sum of money. Finder kindly return same to 126 Mill St., and receive reward. 2712

WANTED—Experienced Forestry on Arden. Good position for competent person. State experience and salary expected. Address M. L. Sturge, Mrs. C. E. Edwards, N. Y. 2712

WANTED—Dishwasher and woman to assist in the laundry at the Putnam House. 2712